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MEMORANDUM

TO: KARIN CLARK
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FROM: Jennifer C. Williamson 
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DATE: December 23, 2020

SUBJECT: Proposed Stage Review of Repeal of 22VAC40-601-50
SNAP Application Processing

I have reviewed the attached regulation, which the State Board of Social Services ("State Board") proposes to repeal.

Pursuant to Virginia Code § 63.2-217, the State Board is authorized to adopt regulations as may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes of Title 63.2 of the Virginia Code. It is my opinion that, having determined the regulation is no longer necessary to carry out a purpose of Title 63.2, the State Board has the authority to repeal this regulation.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at 225-3197.

Project 6420 - Proposed

Department Of Social Services

Repeal Section 50 Application Processing

22VAC40-601-50. ~~Application processing.~~ (Repealed.)

~~Applications for SNAP benefits must be disposed of within 30 days. Applicants have 30 days to provide verification or information needed to determine eligibility of the household. If an application cannot be processed by the 30th day because such information is lacking due to the fault of the household, the application must be denied. If the applicant provides the information during the next 30 days, the eligibility worker must reinstate the application and prorate benefits to the date the last verification was provided.~~